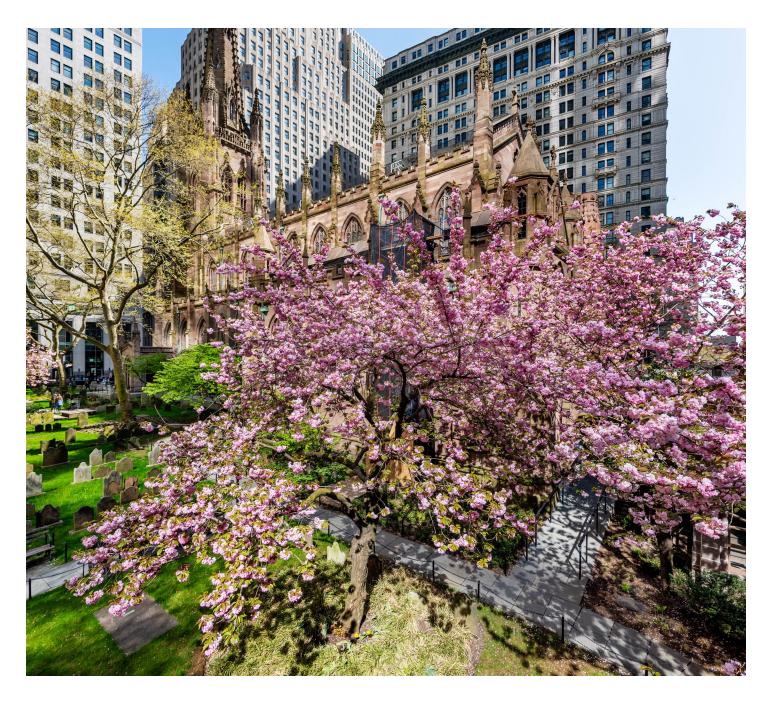
# THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 10, 2023, 9am



# Welcome to Trinity Church

Welcome to Trinity Church Wall Street, a vibrant and growing Episcopal parish of more than 1,500 members. Over the past 325 years, the fabric of Trinity has been woven by the Spirit from the lives and gifts of diverse people; their desire to live their faith through worship, service, study, and stewardship; and the ever-evolving life of New York City itself.

Our parish is guided by its mission to share God's love for all people. Together, we seek to build relationships with one another and with our neighbors, to cultivate compassion, to deepen our knowledge and spiritual practices, to work for justice rooted in essential human dignity, and to live as conscientious contributors to the life of our city and the Anglican Communion worldwide. As we grow together in service and love, we know ourselves, first and foremost, as followers of Jesus.

We are delighted to welcome you today; thank you for the gift of your participation and prayers. If you are new to Trinity, please introduce yourself to a member of the clergy. All are warmly invited to join us for coffee hour at Parish Hall—behind the church and over the bridge.



# About this Service

### The Season after Pentecost

Our current liturgical season, the Season after Pentecost, is by far the longest of the Episcopal church year. It begins the day after Pentecost and ends the day before the First Sunday of Advent. Since the date of Easter changes every year—and the Day of Pentecost is always 50 days after Easter—the length of the season varies as well, ranging from 24–29 weeks in length. This season is sometimes called Ordinary Time, a phrase borrowed from the Roman Catholic Church.

A common practice among Episcopal churches is to change the appropriate liturgical elements at the start of each new season. Often these changes are directed by the Book of Common Prayer, such as the acclamations named for use in the Lenten and Easter seasons. However, liturgical leaders also decide which Prayers of the People, Eucharistic Prayer, blessing, and dismissal are used in services.

Sources: The Book of Common Prayer, An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church, TCWS liturgical staff

# Preparation

Acclamation BCP p. 355

At the sound of the bell, please stand and turn to face the procession.

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

# **Gathering Prayer**

**TCWS** 

All Dear God,

Thank you so much

for bringing us to this time and place.

Please be with us

as we listen, pray, sing, and learn.

And help us remember that you will always love us.

Amen.



Words: Latin, ca. 7th cent.; tr. *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1861, after John Mason Neale (1818–1866), alt. Music: *Westminster Abbey*, Henry Purcell (1659–1695), adapt.

# The Collect of the Day

BCP p. 233

Celebrant God be with you. **People And also with you.** 

Celebrant Let us pray.

Grant us, O Lord, to trust in you with all our hearts; for, as you always resist the proud who confide in their own strength, so you never forsake those who make their boast of your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy

Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All Amen.

Please be seated.

# The Word of God

# The First Reading

Exodus 12:1-10

Reader A Reading from the Book of Exodus.

The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbor in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

The Psalm Psalm 149:1–5, 9 BCP p. 807

Leader Hallelujah!

Sing to the LORD a new song; \*

sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

People Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; \*

let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.

Leader Let them praise his Name in the dance; \*

let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

People For the LORD takes pleasure in his people \*

and adorns the poor with victory.

Leader Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; \*

let them be joyful on their beds.

People To inflict on them the judgment decreed; \*

this is glory for all his faithful people.

Hallelujah!

Gradual MHSO 20

Please stand.



The Cantor or Choir sings an introduction.

All Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia!

Choir Awake, O my God, decree justice;

let the assembly of the peoples gather round you. Alleluia.

All Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia!

Words: Psalm 7:7

Music: Celtic Alleluia, Fintan O'Carroll (1922–1981) and Christopher Walker (b. 1947)

# The Holy Gospel

Matthew 18:15-20

Preacher The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Preacher Jesus said, "If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the

fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or

three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Homily

The Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles Priest and Director for Pastoral Care and Community

#### The Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358\*

Please stand.

Celebrant Let us stand and profess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

All We believe in one God,

the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again

in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

# The Prayers of the People

BCP p. 392\*/p. 360

Leader In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

For all people in their daily life and work;

People For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

Leader For this community and nation—remembering especially Joseph our President,

Kathleen our Governor, and Eric our Mayor—and for the world;

People For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Leader For the just and proper use of your creation;

People For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

Leader For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

*People* For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

Leader For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Leader For Michael our Presiding Bishop; Andrew, Matthew, Allen, and Mary our Bishops;

for Justin the Archbishop of Canterbury; for The Church of Ireland; and for all bishops

and other ministers;

People For all who serve God in the Church.

Leader For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

Hear us, Lord;

People For your mercy is great.

Leader We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings.

We will exalt you, O God our King;

People And praise your Name for ever and ever.

Leader We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

People Who put their trust in you.

*Celebrant* We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Silence

All Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;

in your compassion forgive us our sins,

known and unknown,

things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit

that we may live and serve you in newness of life,

to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus

Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in

eternal life.

All Amen.

The Peace BCP p. 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

#### Welcome

Please be seated.

# **Back-to-School Blessing**

**TCWS** 

Celebrant

Back-to-School season can be a time of joy, excitement, and anxiety. Today we lift up all members of our community preparing to start or return to school this fall.

Let us pray.

Loving God, you made all things and have given us minds to explore, imagine, and create. In this season of new beginnings, we give you thanks for new friends, new stories, and new ideas. We thank you for the opportunity to learn about the world you have created, and to grow into the people you have called us to be. Bless all teachers and students who begin or return to school this year. Give them curiosity, patience, and wisdom. Help them to be kind. Comfort them as they learn from their mistakes and encourage them to dream new worlds into being. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Great Teacher, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

# The Holy Communion

# The Offertory

"For all things come from you, and of your own have we given you." -1 Chronicles 29:14

Offerings at Trinity are applied to the care of our neighbors; particularly to our food assistance ministries Compassion Meals and Compassion Market, and in support of other food banks across lower Manhattan. Last year we were able to provide over one million meals for our food insecure neighbors. (trinitywallstreet.org/social-justice/food-assistance)

Please place your gift in the basket at the rear of the nave before or after the service, or visit trinitywallstreet.org/donate for additional ways to give. Gifts received are blessed immediately after the service with this prayer: Generous God, at your table we present this money, symbol of the work you have given us to do; use it, use us, in the service of your world to the glory of your name. Amen.

# Offertory Anthem

Cantate Domino

Cantate Domino canticum novum, laus ejus in ecclesia sanctorum. Laetetur Israel in eo qui fecit eum, et filii Sion exultent in rege suo. Giuseppe Ottavio Pitoni (1657–1743)

Sing to the Lord a new song, his praise in the assembly of the saints. Let Israel rejoice in He who made them, and the people of Zion rejoice in their King.

--Psalm 149:1-2

# The Great Thanksgiving

EOW p. 60\*/BCP p. 362

Please stand.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

*Celebrant* We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant.

From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and

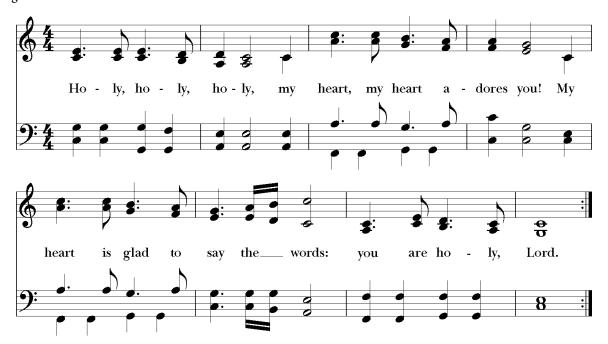
every living thing.

You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus WLP 785\*

Sung twice.



Words: Variation on a traditional liturgical text

Music: Composer of melody unknown; arr. based on a two-part version as taught by Pablo D. Sosa (1933–2020)

Please continue standing or kneel.

Celebrant

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God.

Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

All AMEN.

# The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 364\*

*Celebrant* And now, we pray using the prayer that Jesus taught us, saying:

All Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done,

on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those

who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial,

and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,

now and for ever. Amen.

#### The Fraction and Invitation

BCP p. 364/St. Augustine (1 Corinthians)

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. Silence is kept.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Behold what you are.

*People* May we become what we receive.

Please be seated.

Clergy will distribute communion from stations in front of the altar. If you need communion brought to you, please let an usher or sacristan know.

It is our custom to receive the bread in the upturned palms of our hands, and eat it immediately. Gluten-free wafers are available; please let the minister know that you need one.

Those who wish to receive wine should partake by sipping directly from the chalice (intincting, or dipping one's wafer into the wine, is no longer permitted). Please use your hands to gently assist the server in guiding the chalice to your lips.

If you do not wish to receive communion you are invited to come forward to receive a blessing, indicating your desire by crossing your arms over your chest.

#### Communion Anthem

Simple Gifts

Joseph Brackett, Jr. (1797–1882), arr. René Clausen (b. 1953)

'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free,

'Tis the gift to come down where we ought to be,

And when we find ourselves in the place just right,

'Twill be in the valley of love and delight.

When true simplicity is gained,

To bow and to bend we shan't be ashamed,

To turn, turn will be our delight,

'Till by turning, turning we come 'round right.

—Joseph Brackett, Jr.

# Post-Communion Prayer

BCP p. 365

Please stand.

All

Eternal God, heavenly Father,

you have graciously accepted us as living members

of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage

to love and serve you

with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

BCP p. 339\*

Celebrant

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with

you always.

All Amen.



Words: Henry Van Dyke (1852–1933)

Music: Hymn to Joy, Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827); adapt. Edward Hodges (1796-1867), alt.

Closing Prayer and Dismissal

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After the Dismissal, you are welcome to leave quietly.

Please join Coffee Hour (exit through the nave and over the pedestrian bridge to the Parish Hall), or exit to your left at the back of the church.

If you would like to remain in your seat to listen to the Postlude, please do.

All God be in my head,

God be in my heart. God be in my left hand, God be in my right hand, God be in my whole life.

*Preacher* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

## Postlude



# YOUTH CONFIRMATION



Youth Confirmation prepares young people in eighth grade or above to make a mature articulation of faith and receive the laying on of hands from the Bishop as they commit themselves to Christian life. Youth who would like to be confirmed will be required to actively engage in the Trinity Youth community, attend Fall and Spring Youth Retreats, participate in Holy Week, and take six weeks of preparation classes.

Register by: Monday, October 2, 2023 Confirmation: Sunday, May 19, 2024

Learn more and register at: trinitywallstreet.org/confirmation

# Celebration Sunday

Kick off the new program year with a festive lunch and fellowship, and learn how you can get involved with congregational groups and ministries.

There will also be an opportunity to pack lunches for our food-insecure neighbors.

Sunday, September 17
12:30-3pm Parish Hall

# Announcements

TRINITY CHURCH | BROADWAY AT WALL STREET ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL | BROADWAY AND FULTON STREET

# FOR VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS



Welcome! We're glad you've joined us today. To learn more about membership, baptism, or confirmation, or to receive emails about upcoming Trinity events, visit trinity wallstreet. org/connect or text "TRINITY" to 28259.

**Coffee Hour** | *Trinity Commons* | Join us following the 9am and 11:15am worship services.

### **TODAY**

#### **Back to School Blessing**

#### 9am, Trinity Church

Time to get ready for school! During the 9am service, receive a blessing and a small gift before the school year starts. Students of all ages, families, teachers, and anyone else returning to school are invited to share the joy and excitement.

#### **Trinity Youth 101**

10–11am & 2:30–3:30pm, Trinity Commons

For young people in grades 6–12 and parents interested in all the goings-on with Trinity Youth this year, come find us in the library on the second floor of Trinity Commons. Pick up the youth calendar and find out what's in store!

# Reconciliation: A Journey of Transformation

#### 1pm, St. Paul's Chapel

Join a three-part pilgrimage marking the impact of September 11 on New York City and expressing the healing birthed out of the destruction of that day, a collaboration between Trinity Movement Choir, members of The Choir of Trinity Wall Street, and artist educator Dr. Ernesto Estrella Cózar. Your journey begins with a guided soundwalk through the 9/11 Memorial. Your next steps lead you to St. Paul's Chapel, where you'll be transported through time and space during an improvisation of the Book of Lamentations using song and dance. Finally, experience Reconciliation, Trinity Movement Choir's response to September 11, a ritual dance using living masks and costumes based on the stained glass of Trinity Church. For details, visit trinitywallstreet.org/reconciliation.

# **EVERY SUNDAY**

#### The Gospel, Times, Journal, and You

10am; Online | A weekly discussion group that reads the editorial pages of *The New York Times, The Wall Street Journal*, and the appointed Gospel for the day. To join, email GospelTimesJournalAndYou@gmail.com.

Compassion Meals | 12:45pm; Trinity Church The Compassion Meals program is now offering lunch on Sundays, and volunteers are needed to support meal distributions. To learn more, email Rassey De Los Santos at RDeLosSantos@ trinitywallstreet.org.

#### THIS WFFK

# Monday, September 11

### Ringing of the Bell of Hope

8:40am, St. Paul's Chapel

Trinity's Rector, the Rev. Phillip A. Jackson, rings the Bell of Hope in St. Paul's Churchyard in a pattern of "four fives" (five strikes, repeated four times), the traditional firefighters' salute to the fallen. Following prayers, the bell is rung precisely at 8:46am, the time when the first plane crashed into 1 World Trade Center (North Tower).

#### Calling of the Names

2pm, St. Paul's Chapel

This ceremony honors deceased 9/11 responders who came to help during the nine-month rescue and recovery effort at the World Trade Center site following the attacks of September 11, 2001. By calling their names we invoke their memory and express our gratitude for their service. All 9/11 responders will be remembered regardless of the reason for their death. Learn more at callingofthenames.org.

# Environmental Justice Group 6pm, Online

The Environmental Justice Ministry Group examines, increases awareness, and acts around the most pressing problems of climate change and environmental justice. At the first meeting of the fall season, hear from Helen Smith, Policy Advocate at Creation Justice Ministries, on what churches can do to support and further the health and biodiversity of God's creation, take responsibility for human harm, and respond through advocacy. Learn more and register at trinitywallstreet.org/environmentaljustice.



### Wednesday, September 13

# Racial Justice & Education Group 5:30-6:30pm, Online

An initiative of Trinity Cares Reflection and Action, the Racial Justice & Education Affinity Group meets monthly via Zoom to reflect and plan educational programs that center on racial justice. All are welcome to join and contribute to our work. RSVP to Liz DiLauro at Trinity Cares TCWS@gmail.com.

#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

#### Children's Time Open House

Sunday, Sept. 17, 10–11am, Trinity Commons
Parents and their children, from infants through
fifth graders, are invited to tour our Sunday
Children's Time and Nursery spaces, and join
their children in play, social time, and a sample
of our weekly peer-grouped children's activities.
Regular Children's Time and Nursery Care will
resume the next Sunday, September 24. Learn
more at trinitywallstreet.org/children.

#### Celebration Sunday Sunday, September 17, 12:30–3pm Trinity Commons

Kick off the new program year with a festive lunch and fellowship, and learn how you can get involved with congregational groups and ministries. (There will also be an opportunity to pack lunches for our food-insecure neighbors.) From justice work to Bible studies, children's and youth programs to arts workshops and more, there's something for everyone at Trinity! Whether you're a longtime member or new parishioner, join us after the 11:15am service for plenty of fellowship, food, and fun. Meet the leaders and members of Trinity's ministries and sign up for your favorites. For information, email Melissa Mistry at MMistry@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### March to End Fossil Fuels

Sunday, September 17, 1pm, Central Park
Join Trinity's Environmental Justice Group
and thousands of others marching in New York
to call for urgent action to end dependence on
fossil fuels. For more information and to join the
group, contact David Ward, Chair, Environmental
Justice, at DJWard71@yahoo.com, or visit
trinitywallstreet.org/environmentaljustice.

#### Tiny Concerts: Chapel of All Saints Organ Inauguration

Sunday, September 17, 2pm and 3pm Trinity Church and online

Trinity kicks off its Tiny Concerts series celebrating the completion of its new organ with works by Monteverdi, Bach, Corradini, Rosenmüller, and Gabrieli. This unique new instrument, built by Richards, Fowkes & Co., features a rarely heard tuning system of pure harmonies, creating an authentic sound-world of western music's earliest repertoire. Additional concerts will take place on Monday, September 18, at 6pm and 7pm. Learn more and reserve your seat at trinitywallstreet.org/music.

# **COMING SOON**

### The Broad Way Bible Study

Mondays starting September 18, 1pm, Online Grab your lunch and join Bob Scott online for lively discussion and fellowship. To join, please email TheBroadWay@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### **Catch Your Breath**

Wednesdays starting September 20, 1–1:30pm Trinity Church

This fall, our weekly community meditation practice returns to the Chapel of All Saints. Stop by for a time of stillness and centering. Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org/catchyourbreath.

#### **Being With**

Thursdays starting September 21 11am–12:30pm or 6–7:30pm, Online

Being With is an online course that explores the Christian faith through stories shared in community. This 10-week small group makes space for you to uncover truths you already know by being attentive to God's active presence in your life and in the lives around you. Show up as your truest self and experience healing through relationship. Cohorts are kept small, just 12 people in each, and are led by Trinity staff and clergy. Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org/beingwith.

#### **Trinity Book Club**

Fridays, Sept. 22–Oct. 20, 6:30–7:30pm, Online Trinity Book Club meets weekly to explore the mysteries of the Christian faith through the medium of literature. Past books have included Spirituality of the Psalms by Walter Brueggemann, Mysteries of Faith by Mark McIntosh, and Inspired: Slaying Giants, Walking on Water, and Loving the Bible Again by Rachel Held Evans. In the next session we'll read Coming Full Circle: Constructing Native Christian Theology by Elaine A. Robinson and Steven Charleston. For more information, visit trinitywallstreet.org/bookclub.

### Discovery

**Sundays starting September 24, 10am Trinity Commons** 

Join us for Trinity's adult education series, where we'll discuss how scripture, theology, and spirituality can inform, shape, and enrich our lives. In the first session of the fall season, *Freedom and Interpretation: Exodus and the Canaanites*, we'll explore the biblical books of Exodus and Joshua and consider how these narratives of freedom can be understood in the context of the ancient Near East. Learn more and register at trinitywallstreet.org/discovery.

#### **Foundations**

#### Sundays, September 24-October 22, 1pm Trinity Commons

Foundations is a series for anyone seeking to know more about Christianity, the Episcopal tradition, or Trinity Church—especially adults considering baptism, confirmation, reception into The Episcopal Church, or membership at Trinity. Together we will learn about scripture, theology, prayer, and much more. Join Trinity clergy and staff for fun, fellowship, and interactive learning. For more information or to RSVP, visit trinitywallstreet.org/foundations.

#### Mental Health Symposium

#### Wednesday, September 27, 8:30am-12:30pm Trinity Commons

Join Trinity Church Wall Street for a free mental health symposium open to Lower Manhattan residents, providers, policymakers, and other stakeholders. With this gathering, we seek to engage our community and partners in conversations about the impact of housing insecurity on mental health, especially on LGBTQ+ youth, survivors of domestic violence, and those grappling with addiction. Christine Quinn, President & Chief Executive Officer of Win, will serve as keynote speaker. RSVP by September 22; visit trinitywallstreet.org/MHsymposium for more information.

### Contemplative Eucharist

#### Wednesdays starting September 27, 5:30–6pm Trinity Church

It's the middle of the week. Come rest in the presence of God, who is always ready to welcome and to love us—just as we are. This 30-minute service is followed by a light supper. To learn more, email PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org.



#### **Trinity Men Bowling Night**

#### Thursday, September 28, 6:30-9pm

The Trinity Men's group meets monthly to build fellowship through social events, service opportunities, and breaking bread together. Members old and new are kicking off the fall season with a bowling night. More information: TrinityChurchMen@gmail.com.

#### Worship Leader Workshop

#### Saturday, Sept. 30, 10am-12pm, Trinity Church

Have you always wanted to read at the lectern or carry the cross during the service, but weren't sure how to get involved? Prospective and existing worship leaders are invited to learn the basics of volunteering during services at Trinity, hear about various roles, and deepen their knowledge of our liturgical practices in conversation with clergy and staff. A light meal will follow in the Parish Hall. All volunteers are required to complete a background screening and Ministry Safe training. RSVP to Dane Miller at DMiller@trinitywallstreet.org by Saturday, September 23.

### Volunteers needed for Sunday Compassion Market

#### **Sundays starting October 1**

Starting in October, the Compassion Market at Trinity Commons will be open on the first Sunday of every month. The Market provides grocery items to anyone in our community. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Rassey De Los Santos at RDeLosSantos@trinitywallstreet.org for details.

#### New Beginnings Retreat

#### October 6-8, Trinity Retreat Center

Join Trinity's ministry for older adults for fellowship and relaxation at the Trinity Retreat Center. Enjoy community and time in nature in the company of friends old and new. For more information and to register, visit trinitywallstreet. org/newbeginnings.

#### Trinity Youth Fall Retreat

#### October 13-15, Trinity Retreat Center

Join a fall retreat with time for games, hiking, s'mores, and more. Come and hang out with other Trinity Youth, Trinity Youth Staff — and, of course, the Trinity Retreat Center donkeys. This program is open to all Trinity Youth and is required for youth preparing for Confirmation in May. Transportation will be provided by Trinity. Register by October 1. Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org/2023fallretreat.

#### **BULLETIN BOARD**

# Introducing Trinity's New Augmented Reality (AR) Tour App!

Trinity has launched a new AR tour for visitors at ar.trinitywallstreet.org. Explore changemakers in the churchyard, the parable in our stained-glass window, and the altar and reredos inside Trinity Church. Once you scan the QR code or visit the link, you'll get more information super-imposed on the objects in front of you. Read, watch, click, learn, and reflect!

#### Youth Confirmation

Youth Confirmation prepares young people in eighth grade or above to make a mature articulation of faith and receive the laying on of hands from the Bishop as they commit themselves to Christian life. Registration deadline: Monday, October 2. Learn more and register at trinitywallstreet.org/confirmation.

## Join Sacred Ground

#### **New Session Starts This Fall**

Created by the Episcopal Church, Sacred Ground is a film- and readings-based dialogue series on race, grounded in faith. In a small group, we engage a curriculum that walks through chapters of America's history of race and racism, weaving in threads of family story, economic class, and political and regional identity. To learn more

about this transformative program contact Ruth Frey at RFrey@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### Be a Trinity Ambassador!

Share your gift of hospitality and love for Trinity with all who cross our threshold. Ambassadors are needed to welcome guests to Trinity Church, St. Paul's Chapel, and Trinity Commons in two-hour shifts from 10am–4pm on weekdays. Only two shifts every three months are required and training is provided. Learn more by contacting Maggy Laraque at TrinityAmbassadors@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### IN OUR PRAYERS

To add names to the list, email WorshipBulletin@ trinitywallstreet.org or call 212.602.0800.

Names are kept on the list for a month and can be added again upon request.

#### WE PRAY FOR

Cynthia Cartwright; Norma Rogers; Drew Pardus; Evadné Hodge; Erin Kerr; Goldbourne Browne; Susie Edwards; Ivy Gheler; Valerie Thurab; Eileen Hope; Jack Moody; Roland Stewart; Elizabeth Melillo; Roslyn Williams; Patti Bovers; Irene Horvath; Diana Foote; Candida Rodriguez (mother of Lillian Martir); Kris Seeram (father of Mintrani Seeram); Filomena Grijalvo (mother-in-law of Cora Grijalvo); Virginia "Ginny" Frey (mother of Ruth Frey); Melba Duncan; Roz Hall; Michelle Oosterwal (daughter of Melba Duncan); Francesca Ciuffo and Angelica Ciuffo (granddaughters of Melba Duncan); Adrianna LaFia (grandniece of Al DiRaffaele); Andy Martin; Aaron Fletcher (nephew of Jacqueline Streets); Joanne Gilmore; Myoung Lee (mother of Joanne Lee); Tessa Leavitt; David Yang; Janel Long (mother of Laura Long); Scott Abbott (friend of Bill McCue); Eric Roost; Vittoria Ray; Caterina Borzomi-Ray; John Glenn Sunga (friend of Bill McCue); Hugh Kilbourne; James

Harold Rice Jr. (father of Adele Rice-Debattista); Laura Long and family; Jacques Overmeer (father-in-law of Andrew Taylor); Barbara (niece of Westina Matthews); Vicki Burrell (grandmother of Shannon Goodman); Daniel Harrison (friend of Ken Stein); Bart Klutterman (son of Mary Burckle); Jose Cruz (father of Vlad Cruz); Clark Burial (son of Linda Burial); Alexis Uriel Eldridge (sister of Robyn Eldridge); Eduardo Christie.

#### IN THE MILITARY

Oliver Barnyak (Alex Burns' friend); Randall Middleton, Christine and Sean Reardon (Evadné Hodge's friends); Paul Watson; Peter Martinez (Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant's friend); Michael Dunn; Zane Kupper; Margo Protain (Anesia Protain's sister); Col. Stephen Ryan (friend of Bob Zito); Rob Jones (Megan Jones' brother); Graham Scarbro, USN (nephew of Amy Roy); Helen Guittard (Stephen Guittard's wife); Perry Brock.

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER Pray for The Church of Ireland.

#### **Congregational Voice**

"Don't let any evil talk come out of your mouths. Say only what will help to build others up and meet their needs. Then what you say will help those who listen" (*Ephesians 4:29* NIRV). There is so much opposition these days. Spreading love feels good, and you can't help another without helping yourself. —Willise Black

To submit a brief reflection to be featured in Congregational Voice, please email Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant at esmiechild@aol.com.

### **Trinity Retreat Center**

West Cornwall, Connecticut

#### 2023 RETREATS

Head to West Cornwall, CT, for in-person retreats centered around spiritual themes and holidays. Explore working with the Enneagram, building communities, and writing from the heart. You can also plan a personal retreat for yourself or your group to enjoy all the retreat center has to offer. Learn more at trinityretreatcenter.org.

#### **ONLINE OFFERINGS**

Join online weekly services streamed live from the retreat center's Facebook page at facebook.com/trinityretreatcenter:

Weekdays, 8pm Candlelight Compline

**Saturdays, 12pm** Sacred Pause:

Saturday Prayers

See the full schedule and register at trinityretreatcenter.org

#### **Pastoral Care**

In case of illness, a death in the family, or other pastoral emergencies, call 917.488.0717 to reach a member of the Pastoral Care Team. For other pastoral needs, call 212.602.0800 and leave a detailed message. Someone will reach out as soon as possible.



# **WELCOME WEEK: SEPTEMBER 11-15, 3-5PM**

Join us for athletics, dance, visual arts, jazz, and academic support (tutoring 4-day/week).

Free and open to youth in grades 6-12. Monday-Friday, 2:30-6pm Trinity Commons, 76 Trinity Place



Learn more: trinitywallstreet.org/youth

# Join Us for Worship

#### **SUNDAYS**

8am, 9am<sup>†</sup>, 11:15am<sup>†</sup>
Holy Eucharist | *Trinity Church*8pm | Compline by Candlelight *St. Paul's Chapel* 

#### **WEEKDAYS**

9am | Morning Prayer 12:05pm<sup>+</sup> | Holy Eucharist *Trinity Church* 

#### WEEKDAYS ONLINE

8:15am | Morning Prayer 5:15pm | Evening Prayer

<sup>†</sup>Livestreamed and available on-demand trinitywallstreet.org/worship

# Congregational Council Committee Meetings

#### CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL

CongregationalCouncil@trinitywallstreet.org. The next meeting is **Tuesday**, **September 19**, **6–8pm**. RSVP to Keisha Joseph at KJoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Arts | Karla Chee-a-tow
Community & Hospitality | Regina Jacobs
Faith Formation | Raynelle Mensah
Witness & Outreach | Cindy Jay
Youth & Young Adults | Alan Yu
Congregational Neighborhood
Partnership Program | Keith Klein

All are welcome to attend these meetings.

To submit an item for publication, please email LGoswick@trinitywallstreet.org at least 10 days before you would like the announcement to appear.

# **Sunday Staff**

#### Listed by last name



Ellen Andrews Associate Director for Pastoral Care and Community



The Rev. Sr.
Promise Atelon,
SSM
Priest Associate



Melissa Attebury Director, Music Education and Trinity Youth Chorus



The Rev. Michael A. Bird *Vicar* 



The Rev. Elizabeth E. Blunt Priest and Director for Congregational Life and Liturgy



Dr. Kathy Bozzuti-Jones Associate Director for Faith Formation and Education



The Rev. Dr. Mark Bozzuti-Jones Priest and Director of Spiritual Formation, Trinity Retreat Center



Kathryn Carroll Program Manager, Children and Family Formation



Jennifer Chinn Director for Youth and Community Partnerships



Dr. Alcee Chriss III Assistant Organist



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Wayne Edwards Program Assistant, Children and Family Formation



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Emily Smith Assistant Head Sacristan



Scott Smith Head Sacristan



Summerlee Staten
Executive Director for
Faith Formation
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Avi Stein Associate Organist and Chorusmaster



The Rev. Matthew A. Welsch Priest and Director, Youth and Community Care

#### SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

CELEBRANT: The Rev. Michael A. Bird

PREACHER: The Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles

**MUSICIANS:** 

The Choir of Trinity Wall Street

Trinity Youth Chorus

Melissa Attebury, Director, Music Education and Trinity Youth Chorus

Avi Stein, Associate Organist and Chorusmaster

Dr. Alcee Chriss III, Assistant Organist

#### **FLOWERS**

The flowers are given by Carla Richards in memory of her mother, Leona Richards.

To donate flowers, email Flowers@trinitywallstreet.org.

This service conforms to The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two, which begins on page 355 of the Book of Common Prayer (BCP). Scripture readings are appointed by the Revised Common Lectionary, Episcopal (RCL) and are excerpted from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible. Other liturgical elements may include materials compiled by Trinity Church staff (TCWS) from publications including Enriching Our Worship (EOW) and contemporary liturgical resources. An asterisk (\*) denotes that the text is adapted from the original source material. Hymns come from The Hymnal 1982, Lift Every Voice and Sing II (LEVAS), My Heart Sings Out (MHSO), and Wonder, Love, and Praise (WLP). Cover image: Trinity Church and churchyard, photo © Colin Winterbottom.

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